

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

The responsibility of the Tax Collector is to collect revenue for property tax, yield tax, excavation tax, gravel tax and land use tax. A format for record keeping is set by the Department of Revenue Administration. A report is submitted to the Town Treasurer on a weekly basis for all revenues collected and refunded.

The office also handles the process of setting the tax lien date and carrying out the tax lien and tax deed processes and making the proper recordings with the Registry of Deeds. We also handle inquiries from banks, mortgage companies, attorney's offices and the public.

Workshops and annual conferences, sponsored by the New Hampshire Tax Collectors Association and the Department of Revenue Administration, allow the Tax Collector to learn the tax collecting process and stay current with any changes in procedures and law. Attending such conferences, classes and workshops is important, not only for learning about changes in laws and procedures, but also for networking with collectors from other towns, who then become part of our support system.

This year Marie Price completed her first year of the New Hampshire Tax Collectors Certification Program.

Marie Price, Deputy Tax Collector and I will be happy to answer any questions. Please do not hesitate to call or come in and see us.

It is a pleasure to serve the people of Alton as Tax Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

**Anne Kroeger
Certified Tax Collector**

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF ALTON YEAR ENDING 12/31/2005**

DEBITS	LEVY FOR YEAR OF THIS REPORT	PRIOR LEVIES
UNCOLLECTED TAXES		2004
BEG. OF YEAR:		
Property Taxes		771,535.06
Land Use Change		30,966.92
Excavation Tax		170.00
TAXES COMMITTED		
THIS YEAR:		
Property Taxes	14,766,454.00	852.00
Land Use Change	118,130.00	
Yield Taxes	21,122.67	
Excavation Tax	1,253.88	
OVERPAYMENT:		
Property Tax	76,652.51	
Interest & Penalties	6,245.07	49,656.89
TOTAL DEBITS	14,989,858.13	853,180.87

CREDITS

REMITTED TO TREASURER:		
Property Taxes	13,889,547.56	769,673.06
Land Use Change	102,240.00	30,966.92
Yield Taxes	13,657.43	
Interest and Penalties	6,245.07	49,656.89
Excavation Tax	1,173.88	170.00
Adjustment – Subject to Audit	90.02	
ABATEMENTS MADE:		
Property Taxes	54,785.00	2,714.00
Land Use Change	5,190.00	
UNCOLLECTED TAXES		
END OF YEAR		
Property Taxes	898,683.93	
Land Use Change	10,700.00	
Yield Taxes	7,465.24	
Excavation Tax	80.00	
TOTAL CREDITS	14,989,858.13	853,180.87

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DEBITS	LAST YEAR'S LEVY	PRIOR LEVIES		
	2004	2003	2002	PRIOR
Unredeemed Liens Balance at Beginning of Fiscal Year		108,273.61	37,127.52	21,483.96
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	153,329.90			
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,808.31	8,077.78	8,704.23	10,472.47
TOTAL DEBITS	155,138.21	116,351.39	45,831.75	31,956.43

CREDITS	LAST YEAR'S LEVY	PRIOR LEVIES		
	2004	2003	2002	PRIOR
Redemptions	61,090.75	60,794.38	29,554.23	15,753.73
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,808.31	8,077.78	8,704.23	10,472.47
Abatements		461.37		
Unredeemed Liens Balance At End of Year	92,239.15	47,017.86	7,573.29	5,730.23
TOTAL CREDITS	155,138.21	116,351.39	45,831.75	31,956.43
Does your municipality commit taxes on a semi-annual basis (RSA:15-a)?				YES

Tax Collector's Signature _____ Date _____